

IN THE _____ CIRCUIT COURT FOR DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Plaintiff _____
[NAME (First, Middle, Last) OF SPOUSE FILING THE DIVORCE]

vs.

Docket No: _____

Defendant _____
[NAME (First, Middle, Last) OF THE OTHER SPOUSE]

Divorce Agreement
[Marital Dissolution Agreement]

This form explains how you and your spouse will divide your property and debts.
You must file this form with your *Complaint for Divorce* (FORM 1).

We say that:

- We are the **Wife** and **Husband** listed above. We are filing a *Complaint for Divorce* in the county and Court listed above because we can no longer get along as **Husband** and **Wife**. We understand our marriage rights and duties and want to get an agreed divorce.
- We agree on everything in the *Complaint for Divorce*. The *Complaint for Divorce* does not have to be served and there is no need to file an *Answer*.
- Each of us has read this whole *Divorce Agreement* and agree it is fair. We understand that it will become part of our *Final Decree of Divorce*.
- No one made us sign this *Agreement*. We will sign any other papers needed to carry out this *Agreement*.

Children:

My spouse and I have no children together who are under 18, in high school, or disabled. **Children together** means children we had together who were born before our marriage **AND** any and all children born or adopted during our marriage.

The Wife is **not** pregnant.

Real Property (house, land, or mobile homes that are permanently attached to the ground):

Neither spouse owns real property.

Other Assets (business or retirement accounts):

Neither spouse owns a business or has a retirement account.

HUSBAND: Initials _____ Date Signed _____ WIFE: Initials _____ Date Signed _____



Husband's Personal Property:

The **Husband** will own the following property:

a. Vehicles (cars, motorcycles, trucks, boats, etc.)

Vehicle 1	Year	Make	Model	VIN #
Vehicle 2	Year	Make	Model	VIN #
Vehicle 3	Year	Make	Model	VIN #
Vehicle 4	Year	Make	Model	VIN #

b. Other personal property (bank accounts, cash, furniture, jewelry, etc.) – **NOT** houses or land:

Describe: _____

c. All personal property currently in the possession of the **Husband** is his as follows:

Wife's Personal Property:

The **Wife** will own the following property:

a. Vehicles (cars, motorcycles, trucks, boats etc.)

Vehicle 1	Year	Make	Model	VIN #
Vehicle 2	Year	Make	Model	VIN #
Vehicle 3	Year	Make	Model	VIN #
Vehicle 4	Year	Make	Model	VIN #

b. Other personal property (bank accounts, cash, furniture, jewelry, etc.) – **NOT** houses or land:

Describe: _____

c. All personal property currently in the possession of the **Wife** is hers as follows:

[IF YOU NEED MORE LINES, COPY THIS PAGE AND MAKE SURE IT IS INCLUDED WHEN YOU FILE THIS FORM.]

HUSBAND: Initials _____ Date Signed _____ WIFE: Initials _____ Date Signed _____



Debts Husband Will Pay:

Husband will pay all debts he has made since the date of separation, and will pay for the following debts:

LIST ALL LOANS, CREDIT CARDS, CASH ADVANCE DEBTS, ETC.	NAME OF CREDITOR (person or company you owe)	AMOUNT STILL OWED
1.		\$
2.		\$
3.		\$
4.		\$

Debts Wife Will Pay:

Wife will pay all debts she has made since the date of separation, and will pay for the following debts:

LIST ALL LOANS, CREDIT CARDS, CASH ADVANCE DEBTS, ETC.	NAME OF CREDITOR (person or company you owe)	AMOUNT STILL OWED
1.		\$
2.		\$
3.		\$
4.		\$

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We Both Agree on How to Divide the Debts
(Hold Harmless Provision)

Both spouses agree to divide their debts as listed above. The **Husband** agrees to pay all the debts listed under “**Debts Husband Will Pay.**” The **Wife** agrees to pay all the debts listed under “**Debts Wife Will Pay.**” The **Wife** will not try to make the **Husband** pay her debts. The **Husband** will not try to make the **Wife** pay his debts. Creditors will try to collect from both spouses. Both spouses understand this. A creditor may get one spouse to pay the other spouse’s debt. If that happens, the spouse who is supposed to pay the debt will pay the other spouse back. They will pay back any payments and reasonable lawyer’s fees the spouse made. They will pay back any costs of trying to stop a creditor from collecting the debt.

HUSBAND: Initials _____ Date Signed _____ **WIFE:** Initials _____ Date Signed _____



Alimony (check **one**):

- ☐ Neither spouse wants alimony.
- ☐ (Check **one**): ☐ **Wife** ☐ **Husband** agrees to pay (amount): \$ _____
until (date or action that ends alimony): _____

If alimony is sought, we agree that the alimony will be (check **one**):

- ☐ Weekly
- ☐ Monthly
- ☐ Annually

If alimony is sought, we agree that the alimony (check **all** the blocks that apply to your agreement):

- ☐ Can be modified upon changes in our lives.
- ☐ Will end when the one paying the alimony dies.
- ☐ Will end when the one who receives the alimony dies.
- ☐ Will end when the one paying the alimony remarries.
- ☐ Will end when the one receiving the alimony remarries.
- ☐ Will end when the one receiving the alimony finishes school or on (date) _____,
whichever date comes first.

Important: Both spouses understand there may be tax consequences to the agreed upon alimony and we have put our initials at the bottom of this page acknowledging there can be tax consequences and that we are responsible for knowing, understanding and accepting these consequences.

Cannot Own Retirement Accounts, Businesses, and/or Real Property:

- ☐ Neither spouse has an IRS-qualified pension or retirement plan. [If you do, you **cannot** use these forms]
- ☐ Neither spouse owns a business. [If you do, you **cannot** use these forms]
- ☐ Neither spouse has real property (house or land). [If you do, you **cannot** use these forms]

Name Change:

Check below to change a spouse's name back to the name used before this marriage. A government agency or other institution may need proof of this name change. If so, give them a filed copy of this form.

- ☐ **Wife** _____
First Middle Last
- ☐ **Husband** _____
First Middle Last

Court Costs will be paid by (check **one**):

- ☐ **Husband**
- ☐ **Wife**
- ☐ **Husband** and **Wife** will each pay half
- ☐ Other (explain): _____

HUSBAND: Initials _____ Date Signed _____ WIFE: Initials _____ Date Signed _____



Notice!

Husband and **Wife** understand that the *Final Decree of Divorce* does not necessarily affect the ability of a creditor to proceed against a party or a party's property, even though the party is not responsible under the terms of the *Final Decree* for an account, any debt associated with an account, or any debt. It may be in a party's best interest to cancel, close, or freeze any jointly-held accounts (T.C.A., §36-4-134).

This means that the *Final Decree* does **not** protect you against creditors. They may try to collect from you, even if your spouse is responsible for the debt. It may be best to cancel, close, or freeze any accounts you have together.

Entire Agreement

This document states everything the **Husband** and **Wife** have agreed to. They both give up any legal claims they have against each other. Any other agreements made between them that are not included in this *Agreement* are no longer valid – nor can they make each other live up to any agreements that are not included in this document.

Warning – Changes (Modifications)

After the divorce is final, the spouses may later want to change or delete parts of this *Agreement*. Changes must be put in writing and filed with the Court Clerk, and then be approved by the Judge. You may want to talk to an attorney before doing this.

<p>Read below – but only sign in front of a Notary. You may sign at a different time than your spouse.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Husband</p> <p>I know that Tennessee has laws against lying on purpose (perjury). I swear that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• As far as I know, the information on this form is true.• I have revealed to my spouse all property and all debts that I know about and have not kept any property or debts a secret from my spouse before I signed this <i>Agreement</i>.• This is everything we have agreed to.• Any agreements we have that are not listed above are no longer any good. <p>SWORN to and subscribed before me on (date): _____</p> <p>Signed at (city): _____</p> <p>State of Tennessee, County of _____</p> <p>By (Husband): _____</p> <p>_____ Signature of Notary Public, State of Tennessee</p> <p>My commission expires: _____</p> <p>(Notary's seal)</p>	<p>Read below – but only sign in front of a Notary. You may sign at a different time than your spouse.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wife</p> <p>I know that Tennessee has laws against lying on purpose (perjury). I swear that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• As far as I know, the information on this form is true.• I have revealed to my spouse all property and all debts that I know about and have not kept any property or debts a secret from my spouse before I signed this <i>Agreement</i>.• This is everything we have agreed to.• Any agreements we have that are not listed above are no longer any good. <p>SWORN to and subscribed before me on (date): _____</p> <p>Signed at (city): _____</p> <p>State of Tennessee, County of _____</p> <p>By (Wife): _____</p> <p>_____ Signature of Notary Public, State of Tennessee</p> <p>My commission expires: _____</p> <p>(Notary's seal)</p>
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WIFE: Initials _____ **Date Signed** _____

